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R. M. Bissell Jr. Joins UAC in Planning Post

Richard M. Bissell Jr. who resigned recently as president of the Institute for Defense Analyses in Washington, has joined United Aircraft Corporation as director of marketing and economic planning.

He will report to Erle Martin, United's vicepresident for research and development.

Mr. Bissell and his staff will provide economic guidance to the corporation in expanding areas of nongovernment business and in new technical programs under investigation.

A native of Hartford, Mr. Bissell was graduated from Yale in 1932 and attended London School of Economics. He earned his Ph.D. in 1939 while teaching economics at Yale and later was a member of the faculty at Massachusetts Institute of Technology for 10 years.

During World War II, he held a series of high executive positions in the War Shipping Administration. In postwar years he served as deputy director of the Office of War Mobilization and Reconversion; executive secretary of the President's Committee On Foreign Aid, and



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deputy director of the Mutual Security Agency.

He joined the Central Intelligence Agency in 1954 and was its deputy director for plans for three years. In March 1962, he became executive vicepresident of the Institute for Defense Analyses and four months later was named president of the organization.